

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Rural Development Department – Conduct of Social Audit on the Schemes – Administrative cost of Social - Audit Sharing of expenditure – Modified Orders - Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (RD-II) Dept.

G.O.Ms.No. 292

Dated:20.06.2013.

Read the following:

Ref: 1.GoMS.No.153 PR&RD(RD.II)Dept,dt.12.05.2009.
2.GoMS.No.155 PR&RD(RD.II)Dept,dt.13.05.2009.

ORDER:

The Government have taken up a number of initiatives for elimination of poverty. The success of the poverty elimination programmes primarily depends on the active participation of the poor, the transparency with which the programmes are implemented and the social accountability systems that are put in place.

2. In Andhra Pradesh the Social Audit is being conducted for schemes like MGNREGS, Social Security Pensions Schemes etc., of Rural Development Department. The process of Social Audit is facilitated by the resource persons at the Mandal and District level by auditing the primary stake holders and beneficiaries of the above schemes. The budget for the conduct of Social Audit is being drawn from MGNREGS funds. For this propose 0.5% of the yearly NREGS budget is allocated, and expenditure is being met through Electronic Fund Management System.

4. The Commissioner, Rural Development Department has requested for apportionment of administrative cost of Social Audit (SSAAT) among various schemes instead of debiting the entire administrative expenditure to MGNREGS alone. It is further reported that it will facilitate restricting the overall administrative cost in MGNREGS.

5. The Government after careful examination of the matter have decided to apportion the administrative cost of the Social Audit, among the MGNREGS & Social Security Pensions scheme in the ratio of 65:35 in partial modification of orders issued in the G.O first read above.

6. The Commissioner, Rural Development is requested to claim the apportioned administrative cost from the Social Security Pensions scheme on Quarterly basis and adjust to the funds so received to the MGNREGS funds.

7. This order is available in the internet and can be accessed at the address <http://www.rd.ap.gov.in>.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**R SUBRAHMANYAM
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (RD)**

To :

The Commissioner, Rural Development, AP, Hyderabad.
The Chief Executive Officer, SERP, Hyderabad.
The Director, EGS, O/o the Commissioner, RD, Hyderabad.

The Director, SSP &SERP, AP, Hyderabad.
The Director, SSAAT, AP, Hyderabad

Copy to :

The PS to Minister (RD),
The PS to Prl. Secretary, RD

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER